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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

**Kraig A KIRSCHNER**

Serial No.: **09/844,807**

Filed: March 27, 2001

For: **SEISMIC ADAPTER**

) Group Art Unit: 3677  
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) Examiner: Brittain, James R  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Washington, D. C. 20231

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**GROUP 3600**

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby respond to the Office Action mailed September 12, 2002.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend claims 1, 6, and 7 to read as follows, a marked up version to show the changes made is attached hereto:

~~844~~ **B4** 1. (amended) A seismic adapter for suspending attachment hardware from a steel web joist including a beam with two angle elements each with a first leg and a second leg, the first legs being parallel with a cord space therebetween and the second legs extending in opposite directions, comprising